

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hiroaki MIURA et al.
Title: SOUND ABSORBING MATERIAL AND
INTERIOR MATERIAL USING THE SAME
Appl. No.: Unassigned
Appl. Filing Date: February 18, 2000
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

In the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 21, line 18, delete "K1416" and insert therefore --A1416--.

In the Claims:

Claim 2, line 2, delete "1 to 5" and insert therefor --1 to 50--.

Claim 9, line 10, delete "1 to 5" and insert therefor --1 to 50--.